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Dear Supervisors:

**RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING
2005/2006 GRANT AWARDS FOR CULTURAL SERVICES
(ALL DISTRICTS) (3 VOTES)**

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IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

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Laura Zucker
Executive Director

1. Approve the recommendations of the Arts Commission for Fiscal Year 2005/2006 Organizational Grant Program I/Small Budget Organizations grant awards to 55 non-profit arts organizations (see Attachment A) at a cost of \$349,000.
2. Approve the recommendations of the Arts Commission for Fiscal Year 2005/2006 Organizational Grant Program II/Mid-Size Budget Organizations grant awards to 69 non-profit arts organizations (see Attachment B) at a cost of \$389,400.
3. Approve the recommendations of the Arts Commission for Fiscal Year 2005/2006 Organizational Grant Program 2.5/Mid-Size Budget Organizations grant awards to 49 non-profit arts organizations (see Attachment C) at a cost of \$681,500.
4. Approve the recommendations of the Arts Commission for Fiscal Year 2005/2006 Organizational Grant Program III/Large Budget Organizations grant awards to 26 non-profit arts organizations (see Attachment D) at a cost of \$839,100.
5. Instruct the Arts Commission Executive Director to prepare, sign and execute these contracts after County Counsel approves as to form.
6. Delegate authority to the Arts Commission to reallocate forfeited grant awards, not to exceed \$25,000 in aggregate, to existing Board-approved grantee organizations and instruct the Arts Commission Executive Director to amend these contracts accordingly.

PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTIONS:

The purpose of this recommended action is to disburse grant funds allocated by the County Board of Supervisors. This is the annual implementation of the Arts Commission's Organizational Grant Program (OGP).

Organizational Grant Program I/Small Budget Organizations

The Small Organization Grant Program funds artistic or administrative advancement projects for non-profit arts organizations with budgets under \$100,000 and two years of producing history. Organizations may apply for two years of consecutive funding and may request grants for projects up to 10% of their annual operating budgets. 67 organizations received funding in the OGP I/Small Budget category last fiscal year for two consecutive years

Organizational Grant Program II/Mid-Size Budget Organizations

The Mid-Size Organization Grant Program funds artistic or administrative sustainability projects. Funding is provided for non-profit arts organizations with budgets between \$100,000 and \$500,000 and two years of producing history. This category focuses on organizational support and development.

Organizational Grant Program 2.5/Mid-Size Budget Organizations

This second tier of the Mid-Size Organization Grant Program was introduced this past year for organizations with budgets between \$500,000 and \$1.5 million. Applicants may request grants up to 3% of their annual operating budgets (with a minimum request of \$10,000).

This category responds to the findings of an independent consulting firm, which assessed five years of County grantmaking. The evaluating team concluded that the needs of "community anchor organizations" differ from those of OGP II and III organizations. While the typical community anchor organization still has sustainability challenges, it has a developing administrative infrastructure and finds that its challenges are now centering on artistic capacity. OGP 2.5 thus focuses on strengthening artistic capacity and artist employment and introduces an executive coaching component, funded through the Arts Commission's technical assistance program.

Organizational Grant Program III/Large Budget Organizations

The Large Organization Grant Program provides annual support to non-profit arts organizations with budgets over \$1.5 million, including major Los Angeles County institutions, to ensure accessibility. In previous years, organizations with budgets over \$800,000 were evaluated in this grant category. With the introduction of the OGP 2.5 category, the minimum income threshold was raised to \$1.5 million. All 2005/2006

contracts for services are for low-cost or free public performances, exhibitions and/or arts education activities for school-aged children.

The Arts Commission utilized discipline peer panels to review and score all applications and to make recommendations to the Arts Commissioners. Each recommended organization has met the approved guidelines of the grant program from which they will be awarded funds. The Arts Commissioners reviewed these scores, and are submitting funding recommendations to your Board for approval.

Grant amounts are awarded utilizing a formula adopted by the Arts Commission. Awards are based upon the organization's budget size, which determines the request allowable under Arts Commission guidelines. A percent of the request is then awarded based upon the score assigned it by the discipline peer panel and the Arts Commissioners. Scores are determined by evaluating the organization's artistic quality and accomplishments, quality of standards-based K-12 arts education services (if applicable), services to community/audience, evaluation methodology, demonstrated support through fund-raising, audience support, and volunteer involvement, and fiscal and administrative competence.

Upon notification of a forfeited OGP grant award, the Arts Commission will allocate the forfeited funds to existing Board-approved grantee organizations in the same manner and in the same OGP category as the forfeited award. The reallocation will be approved by the Arts Commission. Following such action, the Executive Director will notify your Board of the Commission-approved allocation of forfeited funds on a semi-annual basis.

Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals

The recommended action is consistent with the County Strategic Plan Goals of Organizational Effectiveness and Children and Families' Well-Being as the proposed organizations' contracts will 1) provide the public with accessible and quality arts services that are beneficial and responsive; and 2) improve the social well-being of children and families.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

Sufficient funding is available in the Arts Commission's FY 2005-06 Budget.

FACTS AND PROVISIONS/ LEGAL REQUIREMENTS:

The County is authorized to contract with any firm or corporation for artistic services for the residents of Los Angeles County. The contractor will be governed by the policy and guideline requirements of the Los Angeles County Arts Commission.

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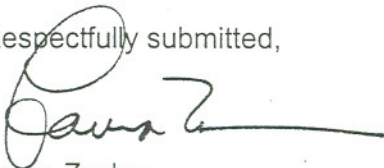
CONTRACTING PROCESS:

The County will pay to Contractor, in consideration of services to be performed and fulfillment of matching requirements, a specified grant award sum (see attachments A, B, C, and D).

IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS):

There is no impact to current projects.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Laura Zucker', with a large circular flourish at the beginning.

Laura Zucker
Executive Director
Attachments (5)

cc: County Counsel

Attachment A – Pages 5 through 7

**Los Angeles County Arts Commission
 Organization Grant Program I/Small Budget Organizations (05/06)**

**New to Grants Program.

2005/2006 OGP I Applicant Name	Panel Score	Total Grant Award	2005-2007 Proposed Project Description	Districts Served	Dist. Most Prog.
Keith Glassman Dance & Performance **	93.50	\$2,000	To support fees for performers and collaborators in the creation and performance of new and repertory work.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Indian Film Festival of Los Angeles **	92.75	\$9,500	To support space rental.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Ziggurat Theatre Company	92.67	\$2,000	To support board development and fundraising efforts.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Pasadena Arts Council	91.50	\$7,200	To support expanding the position of Executive Director from part-time to full-time.	5	5
Glendale Youth Orchestra	91.40	\$5,800	To support the salary of the orchestra conductor.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Kayamanan Ng Lahi Philippine Folk Arts	91.00	\$7,600	To support a Philippine cultural production commemorating organization's 15th anniversary.	1,2,3,4,5	2
Baseball Reliquary	90.75	\$5,900	To support the executive director's salary, plus exhibit production expenses.	1,2,3,4,5	5
New One-Act Theatre Ensemble/Theatre of Note	90.60	\$14,600	To support P/T staff, artistic salaries, new website and Young Writers Project.	2,3	3
Circle X Theatre Co.	90.33	\$15,200	To support the workshopping and presentation of a theatre piece generated from within the ensemble.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Mad Scene Theatre Company **	90.00	\$2,600	To support additional production expenses incurred by expanding to a 3-show season.	1,2,3,4,5	2
Parson's Nose Productions **	90.00	\$13,800	To support a part-time salary for the associate producer.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Workshop 360 **	89.33	\$3,200	To support rental space for theatrical productions and workshops.	1,2,3,4,5	4
Towne Street Theatre	88.00	\$7,300	To support the artistic/producing director's salary.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Los Angeles Women's Theatre Festival	87.75	\$3,200	To support strengthening of organizational capacity.	1,2,3,4,5	3
SASSAS	87.60	\$2,200	To support the director and administrative assistant salaries.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Pasadena Shakespeare Company	87.33	\$8,900	To support artistic director/administrator salary.	1,2,3,4,5	5
INCA, the Peruvian Ensemble	87.00	\$10,100	To support performances at libraries and senior citizen centers.	1,2,3,4,5	3

2005/2006 OGP I Applicant Name	Panel Score	Total Grant Award	2005-2007 Proposed Project Description	Districts Served	Dist. Most Prog.
Valley Institute of Visual Art	86.80	\$3,500	To support the production of the Kent Twitchell mural.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Velaslavasay PANORAMA in Hollywood	86.80	\$7,400	To support a panoramic exhibit Effulgence of the North and guide pamphlet.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Dancescence, Inc.	86.00	\$5,100	To support marketing development and implementation.	1,2,3,4,5	3
World Stage Performance Gallery	85.25	\$8,900	To support staff stipends for the public jazz and vocal workshops.	2	2
Story Project	85.00	\$13,900	To support enhancing the after-school program curriculum for at-risk youth.	1,2,3,4,5	2
NewTown Pasadena Foundation	84.75	\$4,800	To support Northwest Portraits, 10 artist/public collaborative billboards in Northwest Pasadena.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Ghost Road Company	84.00	\$3,600	To support artistic and administrative salaries and overhead expenses.	1,2,3	2
Trip Dance Theatre	83.75	\$3,600	To support rehearsal space rent, administrative stipend for the artistic director and dance rehearsal pay.	1,2,3,4,5	3
An Claidheamh Soluis/Celtic Arts Center	83.50	\$7,800	To support part of the cost for ongoing programming, staff and expenses.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Acme Performance Group, Inc./Moving Arts	83.00	\$7,900	To support organizational advancement through salaries for artistic staff and audience development initiatives.	1	1
Korean American Museum	83.00	\$4,900	To support an exhibition in 2005 and the Community Outreach Program in 2006.	1,2,3	2
Stepping Stone Players	83.00	\$2,800	To support musicians' stipends for performances.	1,2,3,4,5	5
UPE Enterprises, Inc.	82.33	\$5,600	To support the 2005-07 seasons.	3	3
Center for Celebration Arts	82.00	\$8,400	To support director position, operational expenses, and a fundraising campaign.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Culver City Chamber Orchestra	81.80	\$5,400	To support musicians' salaries.	1,2,3,4,5	2
Jovenes, Inc. Arts Program	81.60	\$9,700	To support four installations at the Sunset Art Site and the production of 2 weekly art workshops.	1,2	1
Shakespeare at Play **	81.20	\$7,700	To support school-based arts education program of Macbeth featuring up to 11 actors/teachers.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Sangeet School of World Music	81.00	\$5,800	To support the salary of an events coordinator/producer.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Los Angeles Story Works **	80.75	\$2,000	To support a storytelling festival, to assist in paying artists, rental fees and publicity.	1,2,3,4,5	2

2005/2006 OGP I Applicant Name	Panel Score	Total Grant Award	2005-2007 Proposed Project Description	Districts Served	Dist. Most Prog.
Halcyon Center for Child Studies, Inc. **	80.60	\$9,500	To support Executive Director salary and arts education programs.	3	3
Watts Summer Festival, Inc.**	80.50	\$6,800	To support 39th annual festival.	1,2,3,4,5	2
Creative Playground **	79.80	\$2,000	To support the purchase of a computer and assistance in creating a brochure.	1,2,3,4,5	1
San Fernando Valley Symphony Orchestra	79.80	\$8,900	To support two years of a six-concert yearly series.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Antelope Valley Ballet **	79.75	\$5,300	To support purchase/rental of sets and costumes for public performances.	5	5
Brockus Project Dance Company	78.75	\$6,700	To support theatre rental for four showcases per year.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Santa Clarita Master Chorale	77.60	\$8,300	To support exisitng part-time choral administrator.	3,4,5	5
Music Circle	77.00	\$11,100	To support administrative and graphic designer, marketing, audience development, and fundraising.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Hands for Hope	76.80	\$6,000	To support after-school enrichment program.	3	3
Cor Cymraeg de California [sic]	74.80	\$8,600	To support concert performances.	3,4,5	3
Benita Bike's DanceArt, Inc.	74.75	\$2,000	To support performers' fees and administrative support.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Long Beach Community Concert Association	73.00	\$9,900	To support artist fees and marketing efforts for annual performances.	4	4
Overtone Industries	72.75	\$2,800	To support artist costs for workshops and performances of "Songs and Dances of Imaginary Lands."	4,5	5
SCA Gallery	72.60	\$2,400	To support Community Project Gallery – open-door policy for relevant arts education programs.	1	1
Kings and Clowns, Inc. **	72.40	\$2,000	To support administrative positions of company manager and marketing/fundraising director.	2,4	4
La Danserie	72.00	\$3,400	To support rehearsal pay for 8 dancers.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Saturday Night Bath Concert Fund	71.80	\$2,000	To support an interactive concert and educational clinic at Continuation High School.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Trade City Productions	71.00	\$4,600	To support the Executive Director's salary.	4	4
Verdi Chorus	70.00	\$6,800	To support audience development and hiring a part-time marketing consultant.	1,2,3,4,5	3

Attachment B – Pages 8 through 11

**Los Angeles County Arts Commission
 Organization Grant Program II /Mid-Size Budget Organizations (05/06)**

*New to this OGP Category only.

**New to Grants Program.

2005/2006 OGP II Applicant Name	Panel Score	Total Grant Award	2005-2006 Proposed Project Description	Districts Served	Dist. Most Prog.
Santa Cecilia Opera and Orchestra Association	95.40	\$6,040	To support the administrative director's salary.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Venice Arts: In Neighborhoods	95.40	\$8,340	To support a portion of the Executive Director's salary.	3	3
Khmer Arts Academy**	95.00	\$4,691	To support studio and administrative facility rental.	1,2,3,4,5	4
AVAZ International Dance Theatre	94.75	\$4,000	To support the payment of artists and a part-time publicist.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Pacific Serenades	94.60	\$4,000	To support PR and marketing activities.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Pasadena Dance Theatre	94.00	\$14,040	To support partial salaries for four dancers, office manager, and graphic designer.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Center for the Study of Political Graphics	93.80	\$7,000	To support Development Director position, outside accounting services, and promotional materials.	1,2,3,4,5	3
HeArt Project, The	93.80	\$9,500	To support full-time Development and Communications Directors.	1,2,3	1
Eagle Rock Community Cultural Ass'n.	93.75	\$7,900	To support the salary of a full-time administrative assistant.	1,2,3,4,5	5
California Traditional Music Society	93.50	\$6,000	To support development associate and webmaster positions.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Side Street Projects	93.20	\$5,100	To support the salary of the Alternate Routes Program Manager.	1,2,3,4,5	5
National Association of Latino Independent Producers, Inc.	93.00	\$14,240	To support LMRG, a Latino media artists directory & interactive job board.	1,2,3,4,5	2
Blank Theatre Company	92.80	\$4,000	To support marketing and salaries for the annual Young Playwrights Festival.	1,2,3,4,5	3
PEN Center USA West	92.50	\$10,900	To support strategic marketing plan, expanded curriculum, and technology upgrade.	1,2,3,4,5	2

2005/2006 OGP II Applicant Name	Panel Score	Total Grant Award	2005-2006 Proposed Project Description	Dist(s) Served	Dist. Most Prog.
ONE Institute, International Gay and Lesbian Archives	91.75	\$4,000	To support a staff salary.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Red Hen Press *	91.40	\$4,700	To support Poetry in the Schools and its programmer.	1,2,3,4,5	2
Hernandez Mariachi Heritage Society	91.20	\$5,549	To support a new Mariachi music summer camp.	1,2,4	4
Virgina Avenue Project	91.00	\$7,300	To support development of a long-range individual fundraising initiative.	1,3	3
California EAR Unit Foundation	90.80	\$4,000	To support Executive and Managing Directors' salaries and to increase the contributor base.	1,2,3,4,5	2
Los Angeles Contemporary Exhibitions	90.20	\$12,300	To support membership and individual giving fund development.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Unusual Suspects Theatre Company**	90.00	\$4,000	To support Pilot Community Alumni Program with feasibility study.	1,2,3,4,5	5
About Productions	89.40	\$4,000	To support salary for company manager, administrative assistant, artistic director and development associate.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Chamber Orchestra of the South Bay	89.40	\$4,300	To support three concerts featuring young soloists who have achieved national/international recognition.	4,5	4
Museum of Jurassic Technology	89.20	\$4,000	To support salary of the Gift Shop Manager.	1,2,3,4,5	2
Great Leap	88.90	\$7,100	To support artistic and administrative salaries for 2004-2005	1,2,3,4,5	2
Angels Gate Cultural Center	88.50	\$6,700	To support a full-time education director position.	1,2,3,4,5	4
ARTScorpsLA	88.40	\$9,300	To support development consultant to develop capital campaign strategy and collaterals.	1,2,3	1
Young Artists International	88.40	\$4,000	To support hiring a part-time marketing/publicity specialist and technology assistant.	3,4,5	3
Highways, Inc.	88.33	\$4,000	To upgrade artistic and administrative directors as full-time positions.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Inside Out Community Arts, Inc.	88.10	\$9,900	To support arts festivals and PR/arts marketing strategic plans.	1,2,3	3
Theatre of Hearts/Youth First	88.00	\$7,700	To support Program Coordinator, Web Master and technical upgrades.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Yiddishkayt Los Angeles	88.00	\$4,000	To support organizational infrastructure.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Latino Theater Company**	87.20	\$4,000	To support a current administrative staff position that will further expand the company.	1	1

2005/2006 OGP II Applicant Name	Panel Score	Total Grant Award	2005-2006 Proposed Project Description	Dist(s) Served	Dist. Most Prog.
Foundation for World Arts**	87.00	\$11,100	To support the 2005 World Festival of Sacred Music.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Celebration Theatre	86.80	\$4,000	To support staff and development strategies for audience and financial sustainability.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Friends of the McGroarty Arts Center	86.75	\$4,200	To support the implementation of the marketing plan.	5	5
Beyond Baroque Foundation	86.50	\$4,000	To support a staff position in membership, development and administration.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Evidence Room Theatre Project	86.40	\$4,000	To support salaries for the four Executive Directors.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Imagination Workshop	86.20	\$4,000	To support development of a multi-year strategic plan.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Gallery 825/Los Angeles Art Association	86.00	\$4,400	To support ongoing organizational development and staff salaries.	1,2,3,5	3
Santa Monica Theatre Guild	86.00	\$4,800	To support expanded employment of director of development and supporting computer software.	2,3,4	3
Greenway Arts Alliance	85.25	\$10,900	To support sustainability through increased staff salaries, employee benefits and fundraising initiatives.	1,2,3,4,5	3
SLFF, Inc.	85.00	\$4,000	To support a sponsorship director's salary and an advertising budget.	3	3
Southeast Symphony Association, Inc.	84.60	\$4,400	To support musicians of the symphony orchestra and music conservatory.	1,2,3,4,5	2
24 th Street Theatre	84.40	\$4,900	To support the part-time Development Director's position.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Artist Consortium *	83.25	\$4,000	To support administrative development.	1,2,3,4	3
San Pedro City Ballet	83.25	\$4,000	To support creation of a modern dance project that uses an illustrator.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Angeles Chorale	83.20	\$4,100	To support professional chorale administration and strengthen collaboration with local arts partners.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Electric Lodge**	83.00	\$4,000	To support salary for administration.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Los Angeles Jewish Symphony	83.00	\$7,700	To support improvement of infrastructure systems.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Shakespeare by the Sea	82.20	\$4,000	To support administrative staff.	1,2,3,4,5	4
We Tell Stories	82.20	\$5,900	To support a marketing program with a part-time manager and collateral materials.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Musical Theatre Guild	80.60	\$4,000	To support technology to increase fundraising.	1,3,4,5	5

2005/2006 OGP II Applicant Name	Panel Score	Total Grant Award	2005-2006 Proposed Project Description	Districts Served	Dist. Most Prog.
Powerhouse Theatre Co, fka The Common Loon, Inc.	80.60	\$4,000	To support marketing and promotion efforts.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Los Angeles Chamber Ballet	80.50	\$5,900	To support artists' fees.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Rachel Rosenthal Company	79.60	\$4,000	To support year-round scholarships to four local emerging artists.	1,2,3,4,5	2
Keshet Chaim Dancers	79.00	\$4,000	To support salaries for the artistic and administrative staffs.	2,3	3
Grupo de Teatro SINERGIA	78.20	\$4,000	To support artistic salaries and production/marketing expenses.	1	1
New Victory Theatre	77.60	\$4,000	To support increased production schedule and development activities.	1,3,5	5
Santa Monica Symphony Association	77.60	\$4,000	To support continued funding for an administrator and grant writer.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Jazz Tap Ensemble	77.00	\$4,300	To support two administrative salaries.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Hollywood Arts Council	76.75	\$4,000	To support membership development.	3	3
Friends of the Levitt Pavilion**	76.40	\$6,100	To support a grantwriter and fundraiser.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Aresis Ensemble d.b.a City Garage	75.60	\$4,000	To support the salary of the artistic director.	3	3
Pacific Resident Theatre	74.80	\$6,000	To support employment of a program assistant.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Enrichment Works	74.00	\$4,100	To support the position of Arts Education Associate.	1,2,3,4,5	2
Catalina Island Performing Arts Foundation	69.20	\$4,000	To support continuation and expansion of the Catalina Summer Arts Camp program.	1,2,3,4,5	4
Peninsula Symphony Association	66.20	\$4,000	To support the performance of four free public symphony concerts per season.	4	4
Downey Symphonic Society, Inc.	61.00	\$4,000	To support compensation for artists and increase foundation grant applications.	4	4

2005/2006 OGP 2.5 Applicant Name	Panel Score	Total Grant Award	2005-2006 Proposed Project Description	Districts Served	Dist. Most Prog.
Self-Help Graphics & Art	86.00	\$10,000	To support Artistic Director position.	1,2,3,4,5	1
CalPhil Foundation	85.97	\$15,600	Expanding the number of rehearsals	1,2,3,4,5	5
Gay Men's Chorus of Los Angeles	85.80	\$16,200	To support the commission of new choral works in Spanish and Portuguese by Los Angeles Latino composers to be performed at outreach concerts.	1,3,5	1
Pasadena Museum of Art	85.80	\$15,900	To support creation and implementation for fund and audience development plans.	1,2,3,4,5	5
18th Street Arts Complex	85.75	\$11,700	To support residencies fostering the creation and performance/exhibition of new work.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Los Angeles Children's Chorus	85.50	\$12,600	To support artistic capacity-building.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Colony Theatre Foundation	85.50	\$11,100	To support increased artistic fees and salaries to enhance quality and professionalism	1,2,3,4,5	5
Fountain Theatre	85.20	\$10,000	To support extension of Little Armenia project and to commission new Athol Fugard play	1,2,3,4,5	3
Young Musicians Foundation	84.75	\$19,800	To support compensation for additional Debut Orchestra and Chamber Music Program instrumentalists.	1,2,3,4,5	3
American Youth Symphony	84.25	\$11,000	To support the Composer-in-Residence Program and the Red Ensemble.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Diavolo Dance Theater	84.25	\$11,500	To support increased salaries for dancers under contract.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Claremont Community School of Music	83.60	\$13,300	To support faculty professional development.	1,4,5	5
A Noise Within	82.40	\$12,100	To support salaries of co-Artistic Directors and designers.	1,2,3,4,5	5
International Documentary Association	82.00	\$10,400	To support expansion of the DOCS Rock Mentor Program.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Torrance Cultural Arts Center Foundation**	80.25	\$10,000	To support free theatrical performances for students integrating a school study unit.	4	4
International City Theatre	78.40	\$15,500	To support a technical director.	1,2,3,4,5	4
Odyssey Theatre Foundation	77.20	\$12,000	To support increased artistic support and a new staff marketing outreach assistant.	1,2,3,4,5	2

2005/2006 OGP 2.5 Applicant Name	Panel Score	Total Grant Award	2005-2006 Proposed Project Description	Districts Served	Dist. Most Prog.
Bilingual Foundation of the Arts	77.00	\$11,800	To support artistic fees and expenses of BFA's New Works Festival.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Actors' Gang	77.00	\$10,000	To support training in Commedia-based style for all actors in the ensemble and two public workshop presentations	1,2,3,4,5	2

Attachment D – Pages 16 through 17

**Los Angeles County Arts Commission
 Organization Grant Program III/Large Budget Organizations (05/06)**

*New to this OGP Category only.

**New to Grants Program.

2005/2006 OGP III Applicant Name	Comm. Score	Total Grant Award	2005-2006 Proposed Project Description	Districts Served	Dist. Most Prog.
Los Angeles Philharmonic	98.00	\$97,000	To support community and education programs.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Los Angeles Master Chorale	96.00	\$23,800	To support increased access to choral concerts at Disney Hall.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Museum of Contemporary Art	96.00	\$59,400	To support First Visit & Beyond, MOCA Apprenticeship Program and For Families workshops.	1,2,3,4,5	1
IFP [Independent Feature Project West]	95.00	\$23,500	To support Project:Involve, an artistic mentoring, training, and job placement for under-represented filmmakers.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Armand Hammer Museum of Art and Cultural Ctr.	93.00	\$33,200	To support ongoing series of contemporary art exhibitions, Hammer Projects.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Armory Center for the Arts	93.00	\$16,600	To support exhibitions and related educational programming, in-school programs, community outreach.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Autry National Center	93.00	\$52,900	To support Native Voices at the Autry, an initiative serving Native American writers and theatre artists.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Los Angeles Opera	93.00	\$80,600	To support the Opera's outreach programs.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Center Theatre Group of Los Angeles	92.00	\$91,100	To support programs that make theatre accessible and welcoming to the entire community.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Music Center Education Division	92.00	\$22,800	To support the 2005-2006 season of World City, an admission-free family performance series at Walt Disney Concert Hall.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Pacific Asia Museum	92.00	\$12,500	To support visual and performing arts events of the Chinese Community Outreach Initiative.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Palos Verdes Art Center	91.00	\$23,600	To support the free visual arts exhibition program, including related education activities.	1,2,3,4,5	4

2005/2006 OGP III Applicant Name	Comm. Score	Total Grant Award	2005-2006 Proposed Project Description	Districts Served	Dist. Most Prog.
P. S. Arts	91.00	\$16,100	To support school-based, standard-aligned classes in dance, drama, music and visual arts.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Skirball Cultural Center	91.00	\$36,500	To support Free World Music Sunset Concerts and museum admission at Skirball.	1,2,3,4,5	3
American Film Institute, Inc.	90.00	\$62,400	To support the 2005 AFI Los Angeles International Film Festival and its community outreach.	1,2,3,4,5	3
Pasadena Symphony Association	90.00	\$21,600	To support concert outreach, arts education programs, and community partnerships.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Long Beach Museum of Art Foundation	89.00	\$19,700	To support LBMA's annual Children's Cultural Festival and ongoing Creativity Labs.	1,2,3,4,5	4
Geffen Playhouse	87.00	\$12,500	To support Community Representatives Engaged in Active Theater Education (CREATE)	1,2,3,4,5	3
Japanese American Cultural and Community Ctr.	87.00	\$21,500	To support audience accessibility to Asian and Pacific Islander artist presenting initiative.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Los Angeles Chamber Orchestra Society	87.00	\$20,800	To support Family Concerts, Neighborhood Concerts and Meet the Music.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Long Beach Symphony Association	85.00	\$14,700	To support artistic salaries and the community service ticket program.	1,2,3,4,5	4
Henry Mancini Institute	84.00	\$12,500	To support Community Outreach Initiative.	1,2,3,4,5	2
Pasadena Playhouse State Theatre of California	84.00	\$20,800	To support outreach and arts education programs.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Alex Regional Theatre Board	81.00	\$12,500	To support student access to Classic & Contemporary American Plays (CCAP) workshops and performances.	1,2,3,4,5	5
Colburn School of Performing Arts	81.00	\$18,000	To support more than 100 annual free concerts at the Colburn School.	1,2,3,4,5	1
Los Angeles Stage Alliance	81.00	\$12,500	To support expansion of audience development through electronic and print media.	1,2,3,4,5	1

Attachment E – Pages 18 through 19

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 Los Angeles County Arts Commission
 Organization Grant Program I/Small Budget Organizations (05/06)**
 [The following organizations were awarded two-years of funding in 2004/2005.]

**New to Grants Program.

2004/2005 OGP I Grantee	Grant Award
Aeolian Ballet Theatre	\$2,000
Antaeus Company	\$6,000
Antelope Valley Community Theatre, Inc.	\$3,000
Apartment A **	\$2,000
Arroyo Arts Collective	\$3,600
Artist Consortium	\$7,400
Arts in Education Aid Council, Inc. **	\$2,000
August Strindberg Society of Los Angeles **	\$2,000
Beach Cities Symphony Association	\$3,600
Body Weather Laboratory	\$3,200
Burbank Chorale	\$2,100
Camerata Singers of Long Beach	\$6,600
Cantori Domino	\$6,700
Collage Dance Theatre	\$7,400
Collage Ensemble, Inc.	\$2,000
Community and Arts Projects and Services **	\$2,000
Covina Concert Band	\$2,000
Dance Camera West **	\$2,000
Dance Resource Center of Greater Los Angeles	\$3,600
dee-Lightful Productions Unlimited **	\$3,500
First Stage **	\$2,100
FITLA International Latino Theatre Festival of LA **	\$7,500
Florican Dance Theatre	\$7,800
Friends of the Los Angeles Bach Festival **	\$4,000
Furious Theatre, Inc.**	\$7,300
Guild Opera Company	\$2,000
Harmony Project **	\$8,800
Indo-American Cultural Center	\$4,000
Intimate Opera Company	\$2,000
Korean Philharmonic Orchestra, Inc.	\$5,100
LA Freewaves	\$6,400
LACA Music Foundation Corp.	\$2,000
Latin-American Cinemateca of Los Angeles	\$3,400

2004/2005 OGP I Grantee	Grant Award
Live Arts Theatre Group **	\$2,000
Lodestone Theatre Ensemble	\$3,500
Loretta Livingston & Dancers	\$2,900
Los Angeles Chamber Singers, Inc.	\$6,800
Los Angeles Choreographers & Dancers	\$7,800
Los Angeles Poverty Department	\$4,100
Media City Ballet Company, Inc.	\$3,000
Mexican Cultural Institute of Los Angeles **	\$8,800
Namah	\$2,000
Playwrights Arena	\$7,800
Project X Foundation for Art and Criticism	\$2,500
Rangoli Foundation for Art and Culture	\$4,800
Robey Theatre Company	\$5,900
Rosanna Gamson World Wide	\$3,800
San Fernando Valley Youth Chorus, Inc.	\$2,000
Short Shorts Film Festival, Inc. **	\$2,100
Shumei Arts Council of America	\$2,500
So. California Caucus for Women in the Arts	\$2,000
Son of Semele Ensemble **	\$3,000
Songfest **	\$3,200
South Coast Chorale	\$7,400
South Coast Dance Arts Alliance	\$4,800
Tafesilafa'i	\$2,900
Tayer	\$3,200
TeAda Productions	\$4,500
Theatre Banshee **	\$2,000
Theatre of Hope, Inc.	\$7,900
Tongue	\$4,600
Valley Youth Orchestras Association	\$7,700
Viver Brasil Dance Company	\$4,900
Vox Femina Los Angeles	\$10,600
Watts Village Theater Company	\$8,200
Wizard Music, Inc. **	\$7,900
Wordsville, Inc. **	\$3,800

